

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Roger R. Lesieur et al

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For: "Method for Desulfurizing Gasoline or Diesel Fuel for Use in a Fuel Cell Power Plant"

Docket No.: C-2460 DIV.

Group: 1764

Examiner: J. Arnold, Jr.

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.